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SNET America, Inc.

Tariff Service: Long Distance

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#### TITLE PAGE

#### **SOUTH CAROLINA**

#### INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS TARIFF

OF

SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and rates applicable to the furnishing of intrastate service and facilities for telecommunications services provided by SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East within the state of South Carolina.

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None

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None

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None

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# **SYMBOLS**

The following are the only symbols used for the purposes indicated below:

- (C) Change in Rule or Regulation.
- **(D)** Delete or discontinue.
- (I) Change Resulting in an increase to a customer's bill.
- (M) Moved from another tariff location.
- (**N**) New.
- (**R**) Change resulting in a reduction to a customer's bill.
- (T) Change in text or regulation.

# **APPLICATION OF TARIFF**

This tariff contains the regulations and rates applicable to the furnishing of intrastate resale common carrier communications service by SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East within the state of South Carolina.

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#### **SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS**

The following definitions are applicable to this tariff:

**Access Line** - A local channel for voice, data, or video communications which connects the Customer location to a location of the Company.

**Account** - The Customer who has agreed, verbally or by signature, to honor the terms of service established by the Company. An account may have more than one access code billed to the same Customer address.

**Account Code** - A numerical code, assigned to the Customer, to enable the Company to identify use of a service offering by the Customer and to bill the use of that service offering by the Customer. Multiple Account Codes may be assigned to the Customer to identify individual users or groups of users.

**Authorization Code** - A pre-defined series of numbers to be dialed by the Customer or End User upon access to the Company's system to notify the caller and validate the caller's authorization to use the services provided. The Customer is responsible for charges incurred through the use of his or her assigned Authorization Code.

**Calling Card** - A billing convenience whereby the End User may bill the charges for a call to an approved local exchange company-issued Calling Card. The terms and conditions of the local exchange company shall apply to payment arrangements.

**Collect** - A billing arrangement whereby the originating caller may bill the charges for a call to the called party, provided the called party agrees to accept responsibility for the charges.

**Company** – AT&T Long Distance East, unless stated otherwise.

**Company's Point of Presence** - Location of the serving central office associated with access to the Company's network.

**Customer -** Any person, firm, partnership, corporation or other entity which uses service under the terms and conditions of this tariff and is responsible for the payment of charges.

## **SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS, (CONT'D.)**

**Customer Dialed Calling Card Call** - A service whereby the End User dials all of the digits necessary to route and bill the call.

**Dedicated Access** - A method of reaching the Company's services whereby the Customer is connected directly to the Company's Point of Presence without utilizing services of the local switched network.

**End User** - Any person, firm, partnership, corporation or other entity which uses the service of the Company under the terms and conditions of this tariff. The End User is responsible for payment unless the charges for the service utilized are paid by the Customer.

**Equal Access** - A form of dialed access provided by local exchange companies whereby interexchange calls dialed by the Customer are automatically routed to the Company's network. Presubscribed Customers may also route interexchange calls to the Company's network by dialing an access code supplied by the Company.

**Holidays -** New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

**Initial And Additional Period** - The Initial Period denotes the interval of time allowed at the rate specified for a connection between given service points. The Additional Period denotes the interval of time used for measuring and charging for time in excess of the Initial Period.

LATA - Local Area of Transport and Access.

MAC – Minimum Annual Commitment.

**MMC** – Minimum Monthly Commitment.

**Premises** - The physical space designated by the Customer for the termination of the Company's service.

**Service Acceptance Date** – The date service is first established on the plan the Customer agrees to.

# **SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS, (CONT'D.)**

**SCPSC** - Refers to the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

**Special Access** - See Dedicated Access.

**Switched Access** - A method for reaching the Company through the local switched network whereby the End User uses standard business or residential local lines.

**Terminal Equipment** - Telecommunications devices, apparatus and associated wiring on the Premises of the Customer.

**Third Party Billing** - A billing arrangement by which the charges for a call may be billed to a telephone number that is different from the calling number and the called number.

**Travel Card** - A billing mechanism which enables the Customer to access the service of the Company while away from home or office.

#### **SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS**

# 2.1 Undertaking of the Company

The Company's services and facilities are furnished for communications originating or terminating at specified points within the state of South Carolina under terms of this tariff.

SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East installs, operates, and maintains the communications services provided hereinunder in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth under this tariff. SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East may act as the Customer's agent for ordering access connection facilities provided by other carriers or entities, when authorized by the Customer, to allow connection of a Customer's location to the SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East network. The Customer shall be responsible for all charges due for such service arrangement.

The Company's services and facilities are provided on a monthly basis unless otherwise provided, and are available twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week.

#### 2.2 Limitations

- **2.2.1** Service is offered subject to the availability of the necessary facilities and equipment, or both facilities and equipment, and subject to the provisions of this tariff.
- **2.2.2** SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East reserves the right to discontinue or limit service when necessitated by conditions beyond its control, or when the Customer is using service in violation of provisions of this tariff, or in violation of the law.
- **2.2.3** The Company does not undertake to transmit messages, but offers the use of its facilities when available, and will not be liable for errors in transmission or for failure to establish connections.

#### 2.2 Limitations, (Cont'd.)

- 2.2.4 All facilities provided under this tariff are directly or indirectly controlled by SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East and the Customer may not transfer or assign the use of service or facilities without the express written consent of the Company. Such transfer or assignment shall only apply where there is no interruption of the use or location of the service or facilities.
- **2.2.5** Prior written permission from the Company is required before any assignment or transfer. All regulations and conditions contained in this tariff shall apply to all such permitted assignees or transferees, as well as all conditions of service.
- **2.2.6** SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East reserves the right to discontinue the offering of service or deny an application for service if a change in regulation materially and negatively impacts the financial viability of the service in the best business judgment of the Company.
- 2.2.5 The Company does not offer to process local emergency calls, "911" or "0" calls. Such calls are routed directly to the serving local exchange carrier or to the underlying long distance carrier (0 + interLATA).

#### 2.3 Use

Services provided under this tariff may be used for any lawful purpose for which the service is technically suited.

#### 2.4 Liabilities of the Company

**2.4.1** The Company's liability for damages arising out of mistakes, interruptions, omissions, delays, errors, or defects in transmission which occur in the course of furnishing service or facilities, in no event shall exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the Customer for the period during which the faults in transmission occur.

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## **SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**

# 2.4 Liabilities of Company, (Cont'd.)

- 2.4.2 The Company shall not be liable for claim or loss, expense or damage (including indirect, special or consequential damage), for any interruption, delay, error, omission, or defect in any service, facility or transmission provided under this tariff, if caused by any person or entity other than the Company, by any malfunction of any service or facility provided by any other carrier, by an act of God, fire, war, strikes, lockouts or work stoppages or other labor difficulties, supplier failures, shortages, breaches or delays, civil disturbance, or act of government, or by any other cause beyond the Company's direct control.
- 2.4.3 The Company shall not be liable for, and shall be fully indemnified and held harmless by Customer against any claim or loss, expense, or damage (including indirect, special or consequential damage) for defamation, libel, slander, invasion, infringement of copy-right or patent, unauthorized use of any trademark, trade name or service mark, unfair competition, interference with or misappropriation or violation of any contract, proprietary or creative right, or any other injury to any person, property or entity arising out of the material, data, information, or other content revealed to, transmitted, or used by the Company under this tariff; or for any act or omission of the Customer; or for any personal injury or death of any person caused directly or indirectly by the installation, maintenance, location, condition, operation, failure, presence, use or removal of equipment or wiring provided by the Company, if not directly caused by negligence of the Company.
- **2.4.4** No agent or employee of any other carrier shall be deemed to be an agent or employee of the Company.
- **2.4.5** The Company shall not be liable for any defacement of or damages to the premises of a Customer resulting from the furnishing of service which is not the direct result of the Company's negligence.

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# 2.5 Deposits

The Company does not normally collect deposits from its Customers. However, deposits may be required from customers whose credit history is unavailable or contains delinquent payment practice. Deposits will be in compliance and collected in accordance with R.103-621, as amended, of the Rules and Regulations of the South Carolina Public Service Commission. Deposits may not exceed an amount equal to the highest two (2) consecutive months (sixty [60] days) billing which will include toll and taxes.

#### 2.6 Taxes

All state and local taxes (i.e., gross receipts tax, sales tax, municipal utilities tax) are listed as separate line items and are not included in the quoted rates.

# 2.7 Terminal Equipment

The Company's facilities and service may be used with or terminated in Customer provided terminal equipment or Customer provided communications systems, such as a PBX, key system or single line telephone. Such terminal equipment shall be furnished and maintained at the expense of the Customer, except as otherwise provided. The Customer is responsible for all costs at his or her premises, including personnel, wiring, electrical power, and the like, incurred in the use of the Company's service. When such terminal equipment is used, the equipment shall comply with the generally accepted minimum protective criteria standards of the telecommunications industry as endorsed by the Federal Communications Commission.

#### 2.8 Installations and Termination

Service is installed upon mutual agreement between the Customer and the Company. The service agreement does not alter rates specified in this tariff.

#### 2.10 Payment for Service

The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for services and equipment furnished to the Customer or to an Authorized User of the Customer by SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East. All charges due by the Customer are payable to the Company or any agency duly authorized to receive such payments. The billing agency may be the Company, a local exchange telephone company, credit card company, or other billing service. Terms of payment shall be according to the rules and regulations of the Company and subject to the rules of regulatory agency, SCPSC, which has jurisdiction. Any objections to billed charges must be reported to the Company or its billing agent. Objections must be made within the time frames established in R.106-623 of the SCPSC rules and regulations, as amended. Adjustments to Customers' bills shall be made to the extent that circumstances exist which reasonably indicate that such changes are appropriate.

# 2.11 Cancellation by Customer

The Customer may cancel service by providing thirty (30) days written or verbal notice to the Company.

#### 2.12 Interconnection

Service furnished by SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East may be connected with the services or facilities of other carriers. Such service or facilities, if used, are provided under the terms, rates and conditions of the other carrier. The Customer is responsible for all charges billed by other carriers for use in connection with SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East's service. Any special interface equipment or facilities necessary to achieve compatibility between carriers is the responsibility of the Customer.

#### 2.13 Refusal or Discontinuance by Company

SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East may refuse or discontinue service under the following conditions provided that, unless otherwise stated, the Customer shall be given fifteen (15) days notice to comply with any rule or remedy any deficiency:

- **2.13.1** SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East may refuse or discontinue service with proper notice to the Customer for any of the following reasons:
  - (A) For failure of the Customer to pay a bill for service when it is due;
  - **(B)** For failure of the Customer to meet the Company's deposit and credit requirements;
  - (C) For failure of the Customer to make proper application for service;
  - (**D**) For Customer's violation of any of the Company's rules on file with the Commission;
  - (E) For failure of the Customer to provide the Company reasonable access to its equipment and property;
  - (**F**) For Customer's breach of the contract for service between the Company and the Customer;
  - (G) For a failure of the Customer to furnish such service, equipment, and/or right-of-way necessary to serve said Customer as shall have been specified by the Company as a condition of obtaining service;
  - (H) When necessary for the Company to comply with any order or request of any governmental authority having jurisdiction.

#### 2.13 Refusal or Discontinuance by Company, (Cont'd.)

- **2.13.2** SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East may refuse or discontinue service without notice to the Customer for any of the following reasons:
  - (A) In the event of tampering with the Company's equipment;
  - (B) In the event of a condition determined to be hazardous to the Customer, to other Customers of the Company, to the Company's equipment, the public, or to employees of the Company;
  - (C) In the event of a Customer's use of equipment in such a manner as to adversely affect the Company's equipment or the Company's service to others.
  - **(D)** In the event of fraudulent use of the service.

# 2.13.3 Refunds or Credits for Service Outages or Deficiencies

Credit allowances for interruptions of service caused by service outages or deficiencies are limited to the initial minimum period call charges for re-establishing the interrupted call.

# 2.14 Inspection, Testing and Adjustment

Upon reasonable notice, the facilities provided by the Company shall be made available to the Company for tests and adjustments as may be deemed necessary by the Company for maintenance. No interruption allowance will be granted for the time during which such tests and adjustments are made.

#### 2.15 Tests, Pilots, Promotional Campaigns and Contests

The Carrier may conduct special tests or pilot programs and promotions to demonstrate the ease of use, quality of service and to promote the sale of its services, after receiving approval by the Commission.

# 2.16 Cost of Collection and Repair

The Customer is responsible for any and all costs incurred in the collection of monies due the Company, including legal and accounting expenses. Customer is also responsible for recovery costs of Company provided equipment and any expenses required for repair or replacement of damaged equipment.

#### 2.17 Reservation of 800 Numbers

The Company will make every effort to reserve 800 vanity numbers for customers, but makes no guarantee or warranty that the requested number(s) will be available.

### 2.18 Portability of 800 Numbers

The Company will participate in porting 800 numbers only if the account balance is zero (0) and all charges incurred as a result of the 800 number have been paid.

#### 2.19 Other Rules

- **2.19.1** The Company reserves the right to refuse process Credit Card or Calling Card billed calls when authorization for use of the card cannot be validated.
- **2.19.2** The Company reserves the right to refuse Third Party billing at its discretion.
- **2.19.3** The Company reserves the right to discontinue service, limit service, or to impose requirements on Subscribers as required to meet changing regulatory rules and standards of the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

# 2.20 Marketing

As a telephone utility under the regulation of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East, hereby asserts and affirms that as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications service, SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East will not indulge or participate in deceptive or misleading telecommunications marketing practices to the detriment of consumers in South Carolina, and SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East will comply with those marketing procedures, if any, set forth by the Public Service Commission. Additionally, SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East will be responsible for the marketing practices of its contracted telemarketers for compliance with this provision. SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East understands that violation of this provision could result in a rule to Show Cause as to the withdrawal of its certification to complete intrastate telecommunications traffic within the state of South Carolina.

#### 2.21 Renewal of Term Plan

#### 2.21.1 No Renewal

If the customer does not choose to renew a term plan at the end of the 1, 2 or 3 year term, the customer will be automatically changed to the Business default rates in effect, upon completion of the current term.

# 2.21.2 Change in MAC/Term Plan Commitment

# (A) Change In MAC and No Change in Length of Term Plan

#### (1) Higher MAC

If the Customer changes to a higher MAC and does not change the length of the term plan agreement, no under-utilization charge applies and no new term plan agreement is required. To calculate the adjusted annual MAC, prorate the old MAC and prorate the new MAC.

# (2) Lower MAC

If the Customer changes to a lower MAC and does not change the length of the term plan agreement, a under-utilization charge will be assessed. The under-utilization charge is equal to the difference between the qualified usage toward the current MAC and the unmet MAC in the current year. A new term plan agreement must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

#### (B) Change In MAC and Change in Length of Term Plan

#### (1) Higher MAC and Longer Term Plan Commitment

If the Customer changes to a higher MAC and a longer term plan commitment, no under-utilization charge applies. A new term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

#### 2.21 Renewal of Term Plan, (Cont'd.)

# 2.21.2 Change in MAC/Term Plan Commitment, (cont'd.)

#### (B) Change In MAC and Change in Length of Term Plan

# (1) Higher MAC and Longer Term Plan Commitment

If the Customer changes to a higher MAC and a longer term plan commitment, no under-utilization charge applies. A new term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

#### (2) Lower MAC and Shorter Term Plan Commitment

If the Customer changes to a lower MAC and a shorter term plan commitment, an under-utilization charge will be assessed. The under-utilization charge will be the difference between (number of years in old term plan times MAC) minus (total usage accumulated to date in the current MAC year). A new term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

### (3) Lower MAC and Longer Term Plan Commitment

If the Customer changes to a lower MAC and a longer term plan, a under-utilization charge may apply. The old MAC/term plan revenue commitment will be compared to the new MAC/term plan revenue commitment. If the new MAC/term plan total revenue commitment for the length of the term plan agreement is greater than the old MAC/term plan total revenue commitment for the length of the term plan agreement, no under-utilization charge applies. If the new MAC/term revenue commitment is less than the old MAC/term commitment, a under-utilization charge applies. The under-utilization charge is equal to the difference between the old MAC/term plan revenue commitment and the new MAC/term plan revenue commitment. A new term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

#### 2.21 Renewal of Term Plan, (Cont'd.)

# 2.21.2 Change in MAC/Term Plan Commitment, (cont'd.)

#### (B) Change In MAC and Change in Length of Term Plan, (continued)

# (4) Higher MAC and Shorter Term Plan Commitment

If the Customer changes to a higher MAC and a shorter term plan, a under-utilization charge may apply. The old MAC/term plan revenue commitment for the length of the term plan agreement will be compared to the new MAC/term plan revenue commitment for the length of the term plan agreement. If the new MAC/term plan revenue commitment is greater than the old MAC/term plan revenue commitment, no under-utilization charge applies. If the new MAC/term revenue commitment is less than the old MAC/term commitment, a under-utilization charge applies. The under-utilization charge is equal to the difference between the old MAC/term plan revenue commitment and the new MAC/term plan revenue commitment. A new term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

# (C) Change in Length of Term Plan and No Change in MAC

# (1) Longer Term Plan Commitment

If the Customer changes to a longer term plan commitment with no change to the MAC, no under-utilization charge applies. A new term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

# (2) Shorter Term Plan Commitment

If the Customer changes to a shorter term plan commitment and does not change the MAC, a under-utilization charge will be assessed. The under-utilization charge will be the difference in the old MAC level minus the current year's MAC usage accumulation to date, plus any full years of MAC remaining on the old MAC term commitment. A new term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates.

# 2.21 Renewal of Term Plan, (Cont'd.)

# 2.21.3 MMC Changes

#### (A) Change to Lower MMC

A Customer who changes to a lower revenue commitment may opt to implement the change in the middle of its bill cycle or may opt to make the change effective on the first day of the next bill cycle. If a Customer opts to implement the change in the middle of its billing cycle, a shortfall under-utilization charge applies for the unmet MMC for that billing cycle, if applicable.

#### (B) Change MMC to MAC

A Customer may change from a MMC to a MAC at any time during the billing cycle. The MMC will end and no under-utilization charge applies. A term plan must be signed by the Customer with new begin/end dates. The MAC will start on the date requested by the Customer.

#### 2.21.4 Start Date and End Date

### (A) MAC

Achievement of the MAC is calculated on the Customer's yearly Service Acceptance Date anniversary or end date of the term agreement commitment

#### (B) MMC

MMC is calculated at the end of the Customer's monthly billing cycle.

#### (C) Term Plan Agreement

When the Customer changes the billing cycle dates in the middle of a term plan agreement, the term begin and end dates will not change. The accumulated monies towards the MAC charges, if any, will be based on the begin and end date of the term without regard to the billing cycle.

# **SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE AND RATES**

#### 3.1 General

The Company provides intrastate, interexchange switched and dedicated telecommunications services between locations in South Carolina. The Company's service includes direct dialed calling with charges based upon call duration, mileage, and/or total volume.

# 3.2 Time-Of-Day Rate Periods

The following time-of-day and day-of-week rate periods are applicable to all calls. Evening rates shall apply to all calls placed on the Company's recognized Holidays except when a lower rate would normally apply.

	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN
8:00 AM TO 5:00 PM*	DAYTIME RATE PERIOD OR PEAK RATE PERIOD						
5:00 PM TO 11:00 PM*	EVENING RATE PERIOD OR OFF PEAK RATE PERIOD		EVE				
11:00 PM TO 8:00 AM*	NIGHT/WEEKEND RATE PERIOD OR OFF PEAK RATE PERIOD		RATE				

<sup>\*</sup> to, but not including.

Calls are billed based on the rate in effect for the actual time-of-day rate period(s) during which the call occurs. Calls that cross rate period boundaries are billed the rate in effect in that boundary for each portion of the call.

#### 3.3 Other Rate Periods

Peak: Daytime Rate Period, per above.

Off Peak: All other days and hours, including Holidays, which are not included in Daytime

Rate Period above.

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#### 3.4 Calculation of Distance

Usage charges for mileage sensitive services vary based on the type of service subscribed to by the Customer. For services utilizing switched access, mileage measurements for rate schedules are based on the distance in airline miles between rate centers associated with the originating and terminating stations. For services utilizing dedicated access, mileage measurements for rate schedules are based on the distance in airline miles between the AT&T Long Distance East network access point associated with the station utilizing Dedicated Access Origination/Termination and the rate center associated with the called/calling station.

The distance between the originating and terminating points is calculated by using the "V" and "H" coordinates of the serving wire centers as defined by Telcordia, the following manner:

- **Step 1:** Obtain the "V" and "H" coordinates for the serving wire center or network access point of the Customer's location and the called/calling station.
- **Step 2:** Obtain the difference between the "V" coordinates. Obtain the difference between the "H" coordinates.
- **Step 3:** Square the differences obtained in Step 2.
- **Step 4:** Add the squares of the "V" difference and "H" difference obtained in Step 3.
- **Step 5:** Divide the sum of the square obtained in Step 4 by ten (10). Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction results from the division.
- **Step 6:** Obtain the square root of the whole number obtained in Step 5. Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction is obtained. This is the distance between the originating and terminating serving wire centers of the call.

Formula:

$$\sqrt{\frac{(V_1 - V_2)^2 + (H_1 - H_2)^2}{10}}$$

# 3.5 Call Timing

- **3.5.1** Long distance usage charges are based on the actual usage of the Company's network.
- **3.5.2** Chargeable time ends when the calling service point terminates, thereby releasing the network connection. If the called party hangs up but the calling number does not, chargeable time ends when the network connection is released by signal from the called party location or by automatic timing equipment in the telephone network.
- **3.5.3** Unless otherwise specified in this tariff, the minimum call duration for billing purposes is one (1) minute.
- **3.5.4** Unless otherwise specified in this tariff, usage is measured and rounded in one minute increments for billing purposes.
- **3.5.5** The Company shall not bill for unanswered calls.

#### **3.6** Plan A

# 3.6.1 General Description

This is a calling plan utilizing switched or dedicated access lines and subminute timing of calls. Outbound calling, inbound (800) service and Travel Card service are offered under this plan.

Calls originate and terminate on Switched or Dedicated Access facilities provided by local exchange companies or other authorized access providers. For switched access, the Customer is responsible for establishing local access facilities and for all nonrecurring, recurring, construction and other charges in connection with such local access. For Dedicated access, the Company offers to arrange for dedicated access facilities from the local exchange company or other authorized access provider and shall pass the costs for such facilities on to the Customer. The Customer using multiple Switched Access lines for a single 800 number must arrange for hunting service from the local exchange company.

# 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

#### 3.6.2 MTS

MTS is an outbound service priced based on a single rate band. Calls are billed in one minute increments. The minimum call duration is one minute.

	Initial Minute	<b>Initial Minute</b>
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Day	\$0.1900	\$0.3900
Evening	\$0.1200	\$0.3200
Night/Weekend	\$0.0900	\$0.2900
	Add'l Minute	Add'l Minute
	Add'l Minute <u>Minimum</u>	Add'l Minute <u>Maximum</u>
Day		
Day Evening	<u>Minimum</u>	Maximum

# 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

# 3.6.3 Calling Card

The Company offers Calling Card service from anywhere in South Carolina. The Customer shall access the network by dialing the Company's universal access 800 number to complete direct dialed or operator assisted calls. Per minute usage charges and fixed service charges per call apply. Calls are billed in one minute increments. The minimum call duration is one minute.

# (A) Usage Rates Per Minute

	Initial Minute	Initial Minute
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Day	\$0.1900	\$0.3900
Evening	\$0.1200	\$0.3200
Night/Weekend	\$0.0900	\$0.2900
	Add'l Minute	Add'l Minute
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Day	\$0.1900	\$0.3900
Evening	\$0.1200	\$0.3200
Night/Weekend	\$0.0900	\$0.2900

# 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

# 3.6.3 Calling Card, (Cont'd.)

# (B) Service Charge, Per Call:

	Fully Au	tomated	<b>Operato</b>	r Dialed	<b>Operator</b>	· Assisted
Call Type	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Calling Card Surcharge	\$0.40	\$1.20	\$1.50	\$4.25	\$0.90	\$2.75
Operator Station						
Collect	\$1.25	\$3.50	\$1.75	\$5.00	\$1.25	\$3.50
Third Party	\$1.25	\$3.50	\$1.75	\$5.00	\$1.25	\$3.50
Person to	N/A	N/A	\$2.50	\$7.50	\$2.50	\$7.50
Person						

# 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

#### 3.6.4 800 Service

800 Service provides the Customer with one or more 800-NXX-XXXX numbers which when dialed from stations in the intrastate public switched network shall terminate on Customer-designated facilities or equipment. All charges accruing in connection with usage of the Customer's assigned 800 numbers are billed to the Customer rather than to the party originating the call. Calls may originate from all points within South Carolina. All 800 Service calls are billed in one minute increments and are subject to a minimum billing of one minute.

	Initial Minute	Initial Minute
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Day	\$0.1900	\$0.3900
Evening	\$0.1200	\$0.3200
Night/Wkd	\$0.0900	\$0.2900
	Add'l Minute	Add'l Minute
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Day	\$0.1900	\$0.3900
Evening	\$0.1200	\$0.3200
Night/Wkd	\$0.0900	\$0.2900

#### 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

# 3.6.4 800 Service, (cont'd.)

#### 800 Monthly Service Fees, per service group:

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Switched Access	\$2.50	\$7.50
Dedicated Access	\$25.00	\$75.00

This monthly service fee is waived if the Customer subscribes to the same 800 number for both interstate and intrastate service.

# 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features

The following optional services are available with 800 Service.

# (A) Dialed Number Identification Service (DNIS)

This service permits the Customer to receive calls made to multiple 800 numbers on the same service group and to identify the 800 number that was dialed by the calling party. This service is only available on Dedicated Access.

# Nonrecurring charge, per Dedicated Access Service Group:

Minimum:	Maximum:
\$100.00	\$1000.00

Nonrecurring charges may be waived from time to time for special promotions. Nonrecurring charges shall be waived if the Customer subscribes to this service for the same service group for interstate service.

# 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

# 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features, (cont'd.)

# (B) Real Time Automatic Number Identification (ANI)

This service provides the ANI for the calling party to the 800 Dedicated Access Customer if the call originates from an Equal Access end office. The Company shall provide Real Time ANI on an 800 number and a service group basis. Real Time ANI is available with or without DNIS. This service is only available on Dedicated Access.

Nonrecurring charges shall be waived if the Customer subscribes to this service for the same routing arrangement for interstate service.

#### 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

### 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features, (cont'd.)

### (C) 800 Call Overflow

This service permits calls made to a service group in which all trunks are busy to be forwarded to another telephone number at the same location predesignated by the Customer. This service is only available on Dedicated Access. The nonrecurring and monthly charges shall be waived if the Customer subscribes to this service for the same routing arrangements for interstate service.

## Nonrecurring charge, per Routing Arrangement:

<u>Minimum:</u> <u>Maximum:</u> \$25.00 \$200.00

### 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

### 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features, (cont'd.)

### (D) Uniform Call Distribution

This feature permits an even distribution of calls across a service group. This service is only available on Dedicated Access. The nonrecurring charge shall be waived if the Customer subscribes to this service for the same service group for interstate service.

## Nonrecurring charge, per Service Group:

<u>Minimum:</u> <u>Maximum:</u> \$25.00 \$200.00

### 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

### 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features, (cont'd.)

### (E) Enhanced Routing Features

The following features are available on both Switched and Dedicated Access for an additional one time and monthly charge:

Time of Day Routing Day of Week Routing Day of Year Routing Call Allocation Routing Command Routing

### **Nonrecurring Charges:**

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Installation	\$25.00	\$100.00
Service Change	\$25.00	\$100.00
Command Routing Activation	\$25.00	\$100.00

### **Monthly Recurring Charges:**

	<u>Mınımum</u>	<u>Maxımum</u>
1-3 Routing Plans	\$ 0.00	\$ 10.00
4-12 Routing Plans	\$25.00	\$375.00
13-99 Routing Plan	\$25.00	\$675.00

#### **3.6** Plan A, (Cont'd.)

#### 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features, (cont'd.)

#### (E) Enhanced Routing Features, (continued)

#### **Time of Day Routing**

This feature allows the Customer to have calls to the same 800 number routed to different locations during various times of the day.

- (1) Time of Day routing shall follow the national observance of daylight savings time.
- (2) The day may be divided into 15 minute increments, with up to 96 time intervals per 24 hour period. All time intervals must begin on the quarter clock hour.
- (3) The Customer time of day schedule must include the entire 24 hour day.

### **Day of Week Routing**

This feature permits the Customer to have calls to the same 800 number routed to different locations based upon the day of the week. Day of Week routing shall follow the national observance of daylight savings time.

#### 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

#### 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features, (cont'd.)

#### (E) Enhanced Routing Features, (continued)

# **Day of Year Routing**

This feature permits the Customer to have calls to the same 800 number routed to different locations on specified days of the year. Dates are stored in a month/day format. It is the responsibility of the Customer to revise day of year routing schedules annually.

#### **Call Allocation Routing**

This feature permits the Customer to define routing of calls made to the same 800 number on a percentage basis so that calls can be allocated to multiple locations. Percentages must be defined in whole numbers, with 1% (one percent) as the smallest allocation percentage to any location. The total of all percentage allocations must be 100%.

#### 3.6 Plan A, (Cont'd.)

### 3.6.5 800 Service Optional Features, (cont'd.)

### (E) Enhanced Routing Features, (continued)

### **Command Routing**

This feature allows the Customer to activate a different Enhanced 800 routing plan on command by placing one telephone call to the Company.

- (1) The Customer may define up to 99 separate routing plans per 800 number.
- (2) Routing plans must be loaded in the Company's network before they are available for activation on command.
- (3) The Customer must have a minimum of two routing plans to be able to utilize this feature.

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II

High Volume Calling Plan II is a flat rate calling plan designed for business Customers who bill at least \$50.00 monthly in long distance services. High Volume Calling Plan II calls utilize Switched or Dedicated Access Lines and are billed in one (1) second increments for plans with a Monthly Annual Commitment and are billed in six (6) second increments for plans with a Monthly Minimum Commitment, both with an Initial Period, for billing purposes of eighteen (18) seconds. The minimum commitment for the Monthly Minimum Commitment (MMC) on this plan is one month. The minimum commitment for the Minimum Annual Commitment (MAC) is one year.

- **3.8.1** High Volume Calling Plan II Customers can have multi location accounts that have the same account-billing name grouped together. Accounts that are added after the initial installation inherit the start date of the first account on the plan.
- 3.8.2 High Volume Calling Plan II Customer will be required to select a Minimum Monthly Commitment (MMC) without signing a term commitment or a Minimum Annual Commitment (MAC) which requires a term commitment. A Customer participating in the High Volume Calling Plan II commits to spending a predetermined dollar volume, either annually in the case of a MAC or monthly in the case of a MMC.
- 3.8.3 High Volume Calling Plan II Customers can aggregate usage totals from inbound and outbound service usage, monthly recurring charges associated with Dedicated Access when AT&T Long Distance East is the Carrier of choice, Calling Card, and multiple Billed Telephone Numbers (BTN) when they are identified under a single Master Account Number, to meet either the MMC or MAC. Any commitment (MMC or MAC) shortfall will be applied to the Primary Billed Telephone Number of the Master Account.

- 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)
  - 3.8.4 Customers subscribing to a MMC will be given a two (2) month grace period where there will be no shortfall penalty assessed. If a Customer subscribes to a MMC on any date other than the first day of the billing cycle, the partial first month is counted as a full month when determining the length of the no penalty period.
  - 3.8.5 Customers that participate in other SNET America, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Long Distance East Optional Call Plans with a term requirement can upgrade to this call plan without penalty. Customer must sign a term Agreement in twelve-month increments, equal to or greater than the remaining months on their existing Agreement and meet the minimum requirement of this plan. If the Company does not offer a plan that carries a term sufficient to satisfy this requirement, the Customer must opt for the longest term currently available.
  - **3.8.6** The usage rates defined below are applicable to the components listed.

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

## 3.8.7 Usage Rates

(A) Monthly Minimum Commitment Option – The usage rated defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times.

## (1) Minimum Rates – Monthly Minimum

	Switched Access		Dedicated Access	
		Each		Each
	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
Monthly	18 Seconds	6 Seconds	18 Seconds	6 Seconds
Minimum	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum
\$ 50.00	\$0.0134	\$0.0045	\$0.0150	\$0.0050
\$ 200.00	\$0.0134	\$0.0045	\$0.0150	\$0.0050
\$ 500.00	\$0.0132	\$0.0044	\$0.0105	\$0.0035
\$ 1,000.00	\$0.0129	\$0.0043	\$0.0102	\$0.0034
\$ 2,500.00	\$0.0126	\$0.0042	\$0.0099	\$0.0033
\$ 5,000.00	\$0.0123	\$0.0041	\$0.0096	\$0.0032
\$10,000.00	\$0.0120	\$0.0040	\$0.0093	\$0.0031
\$15,000.00	\$0.0117	\$0.0039	\$0.0090	\$0.0030
\$20,000.00	\$0.0114	\$0.0038	\$0.0087	\$0.0029

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

## 3.8.7 Usage Rates

(A) Monthly Minimum Commitment Option – The usage rated defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times (continued).

### (2) Maximum Rates – Monthly Minimum

	Switched Access		Dedicated Access	
		Each		Each
	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
Monthly	18 Seconds	6 Seconds	18 Seconds	6 Seconds
Minimum	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum
\$ 50.00	\$0.0549	\$0.0183	\$0.0540	\$0.0180
\$ 200.00	\$0.0540	\$0.0180	\$0.0540	\$0.0180
\$ 500.00	\$0.0536	\$0.0179	\$0.0455	\$0.0152
\$ 1,000.00	\$0.0531	\$0.0177	\$0.0450	\$0.0150
\$ 2,500.00	\$0.0527	\$0.0176	\$0.0446	\$0.0149
\$ 5,000.00	\$0.0513	\$0.0171	\$0.0432	\$0.0144
\$10,000.00	\$0.0504	\$0.0168	\$0.0423	\$0.0141
\$15,000.00	\$0.0504	\$0.0168	\$0.0423	\$0.0141
\$20,000.00	\$0.0495	\$0.0165	\$0.0414	\$0.0138

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

## 3.8.7 Usage Rates, (cont'd.)

**(B) Minimum Annual Commitment Option** – The usage rates defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times. (continued).

## (1) Minimum Rates – MAC 1 Year Term

	Switched Access		Dedicated Access	
MAC 1 Year	Initial 18 Seconds	Each Additional Second	Initial 18 Seconds	Each Additional Second
Term	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0089	\$0.00049	\$0.0074	\$0.00041
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0087	\$0.00049	\$0.0072	\$0.00040
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0086	\$0.00048	\$0.0071	\$0.00039
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0084	\$0.00047	\$0.0069	\$0.00039
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0083	\$0.00046	\$0.0068	\$0.00038
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0081	\$0.00045	\$0.0066	\$0.00037
\$120,000.00	\$0.0080	\$0.00044	\$0.0065	\$0.00036
\$180,000.00	\$0.0078	\$0.00044	\$0.0063	\$0.00035
\$240,000.00	\$0.0077	\$0.00043	\$0.0062	\$0.00034

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

### 3.8.7 Usage Rates, (cont'd.)

**(B) Minimum Annual Commitment Option** – The usage rates defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times. (continued).

## (2) Maximum Rates – MAC 1 Year Term

	Switched Access		Dedicated Access	
		Each		Each
MAC	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
1 Year	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
Term	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0531	\$0.00296	\$0.0540	\$0.00300
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0522	\$0.00290	\$0.0540	\$0.00300
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0513	\$0.00285	\$0.0432	\$0.00240
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0486	\$0.00270	\$0.0405	\$0.00225
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0459	\$0.00255	\$0.0378	\$0.00210
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0432	\$0.00240	\$0.0351	\$0.00195
\$120,000.00	\$0.0405	\$0.00225	\$0.0324	\$0.00185
\$180,000.00	\$0.0387	\$0.00215	\$0.0306	\$0.00170
\$240,000.00	\$0.0378	\$0.00210	\$0.0297	\$0.00165

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

## 3.8.7 Usage Rates, (cont'd.)

**(B) Minimum Annual Commitment Option** – The usage rates defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times (continued).

### (3) Minimum Rates – MAC 2 Year Term

	Switched Access		<b>Dedicated Access</b>	
		Each		Each
MAC	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
2 Year	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
Term	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0087	\$0.00049	\$0.0072	\$0.00040
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0086	\$0.00048	\$0.0071	\$0.00039
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0084	\$0.00047	\$0.0069	\$0.00039
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0083	\$0.00046	\$0.0068	\$0.00038
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0081	\$0.00045	\$0.0066	\$0.00037
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0080	\$0.00044	\$0.0065	\$0.00036
\$120,000.00	\$0.0078	\$0.00044	\$0.0063	\$0.00035
\$180,000.00	\$0.0077	\$0.00043	\$0.0062	\$0.00034
\$240,000.00	\$0.0075	\$0.00042	\$0.0060	\$0.00034

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

## 3.8.7 Usage Rates, (cont'd.)

**(B) Minimum Annual Commitment Option** – The usage rates defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times (continued).

### (4) Maximum Rates-MAC 2 Year Term

	Switched Access		Dedicated Access	
		Each		Each
MAC	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
2 Year	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
Term	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0504	\$0.00281	\$0.0540	\$0.00300
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0495	\$0.00275	\$0.0540	\$0.00300
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0486	\$0.00270	\$0.0405	\$0.00225
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0459	\$0.00255	\$0.0378	\$0.00210
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0432	\$0.00240	\$0.0351	\$0.00195
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0405	\$0.00225	\$0.0324	\$0.00180
\$120,000.00	\$0.0378	\$0.00210	\$0.0297	\$0.00165
\$180,000.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200	\$0.0279	\$0.00155
\$240,000.00	\$0.0351	\$0.00195	\$0.0270	\$0.00150

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

### 3.8.7 Usage Rates, (cont'd.)

**(B) Minimum Annual Commitment Option** – The usage rates defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times (continued).

### (5) Minimum Rates-MAC 3 Year Term

	Switched Access		Dedicated Access	
		Each		Each
MAC	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
3 Year	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
Term	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0084	\$0.00047	\$0.0069	\$0.00039
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0083	\$0.00046	\$0.0068	\$0.00038
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0081	\$0.00045	\$0.0066	\$0.00037
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0080	\$0.00044	\$0.0065	\$0.00036
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0078	\$0.00044	\$0.0063	\$0.00035
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0077	\$0.00043	\$0.0062	\$0.00034
\$120,000.00	\$0.0075	\$0.00042	\$0.0060	\$0.00034
\$180,000.00	\$0.0074	\$0.00041	\$0.0059	\$0.00033
\$240,000.00	\$0.0072	\$0.00040	\$0.0057	\$0.00032

### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

### 3.8.7 Usage Rates, (cont'd.)

**(B) Minimum Annual Commitment Option** – The usage rates defined below are applicable for Direct Dial inbound and outbound usage, and Calling Card. The usage rates applicable to the Business High Volume Calling Plan II, all days, all times (continued).

#### (6) Maximum Rates– MAC 3 Year Term

	Switched Access		<b>Dedicated Access</b>	
		Each		Each
MAC	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
3 Year	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
Term	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0495	\$0.00275	\$0.0540	\$0.00300
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0468	\$0.00260	\$0.0540	\$0.00300
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0459	\$0.00255	\$0.0378	\$0.00210
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0432	\$0.00240	\$0.0351	\$0.00195
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0405	\$0.00225	\$0.0324	\$0.00180
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0378	\$0.00210	\$0.0297	\$0.00165
\$120,000.00	\$0.0351	\$0.00195	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$180,000.00	\$0.0333	\$0.00185	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$240,000.00	\$0.0324	\$0.00180	\$0.0243	\$0.00135

### 3.8.8 Toll Free Calling Card Surcharge

Under High Volume Calling Plan II, the Calling Card service charge is \$0.50 per call when the Customer utilizes the toll free number printed on the card.

#### 3.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

#### 3.8.9 Cancellation of Term Plan

#### (A) Customer Cancels – MAC has been met:

If the Customer cancels a term plan in the last year of that term plan and the Customer has met the MAC for that year, no term plan early termination fee applies.

### (B) Customer Cancels – MAC has not been met:

If the Customer cancels a term plan and the MAC has not been met for the current year or for any additional years remaining in the term plan agreement, the early termination fee is equal to 50% of the unmet MAC for each of the additional years remaining on the term plan agreement.

### 3.8.10 Term Renewal

If the customer does not choose to renew the Business High Volume Calling Plan at the end of the 1, 2 or 3 year term, the customer will be automatically changed to the Business default rates in effect, upon completion of the current term.

### **SECTION 4 – MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES**

### 4.1 Directory Assistance

A Directory Assistance charge applies to all intrastate calls made from points within the State of South Carolina.

## 4.2 Late Payment Charge

A late fee will be charged on any past due unpaid balance, in compliance with R.103-622.2, as amended.

## 4.3 Return Check Charge

A return check charge will be assessed for checks returned for insufficient funds. Any applicable return check charges will be assessed according to the terms and conditions of the billing entity (i.e., local exchange company and/or commercial credit card company) and pursuant to South Carolina law.

#### **SECTION 5 – PROMOTIONS**

### 5.1 Promotional Offerings – General

From time to time, the Company may provide promotional offerings to introduce a current or potential Customer to a service not being used by the Customer. These offerings may be limited to certain dates, times or locations and may waive or reduce recurring or nonrecurring charges.

## **5.2** Competitive Response Promotion

In order to acquire or retain customer, the Company will match certain offers made by other interexchange carriers/resellers where the customer can demonstrate to the Company's satisfaction that it intends to accept such offer as an inducement to subscribe to or remain subscribed to such other interexchange carrier's/reseller's services.

# **SECTION 6 – CURRENT PRICE LIST**

## **6.1** MTS

	Initial Minute	Additional Minute
Day	\$0.2900	\$0.2900
Evening	\$0.2200	\$0.2200
Night/Weekend	\$0.1900	\$0.1900

# 6.2 Calling Card

# (A) Usage Rates Per Minute:

	<b>Initial Minute</b>	Additional Minute
Day	\$0.2900	\$0.2900
Evening	\$0.2200	\$0.2200
Night/Weekend	\$0.1900	\$0.1900

## **(B)** Service Charge, Per Call:

Call Type	Fully Automated	Operator Dialed	Operator Assisted
Calling Card Surcharge	\$0.80	\$2.75	\$1.75
Operator Station			
Collect	\$2.25	\$3.25	\$2.25
Third Party	\$2.25	\$3.25	\$2.25
Person to Person	N/A	\$4.90	\$4.90

#### **6.3** 800 Service

### (A) Usage Rates Per Minute

	<u>Initial Minute</u>	Additional Minute
Day	\$0.2100	\$0.2100
Evening	\$0.1600	\$0.1600
Night/Weekend	\$0.1100	\$0.1100

### (B) 800 Monthly Service Fees, per service group

Switched Access	\$ 5.00
Dedicated Access	\$50.00

### (C) 800 Service Optional Features

### (1) Dialed Number Identification Service (DNIS)

Nonrecurring charge, per Dedicated Access Service Group:

\$250.00

### (2) Real Time Automatic Number Identification (ANI)

(a) Nonrecurring charge, per Routing Arrangement:

\$200.00

**(b)** Usage Charge, per ANI Delivered:

\$0.010

- **6.3** 800 Service, (Cont'd.)
  - (B) 800 Monthly Service Fees, per service group:

Switched Access \$ 5.00 Dedicated Access \$50.00

- (C) 800 Service Optional Features
  - (1) Dialed Number Identification Service (DNIS)

Nonrecurring charge, per Dedicated Access Service Group:

\$250.00

- (2) Real Time Automatic Number Identification (ANI)
  - (a) Nonrecurring charge, per Routing Arrangement:

\$200.00

**(b)** Usage Charge, per ANI Delivered:

\$0.010

(c) 800 Call Overflow

Nonrecurring charge, per Routing Arrangement:

\$50.00

## **6.3 800** Service (Cont'd.)

### (D) Uniform Call Distribution

Nonrecurring charge, per Service Group: \$50.00

## (E) Enhanced Routing Features

(1) Nonrecurring Charges:

Installation:	\$100.00
Service Change:	\$ 50.00
Command Routing Activation:	\$ 50.00

(2) Monthly Recurring Charges:

1-3 Routing Plans:	\$	0.00
4-12 Routing Plans:	\$ :	50.00
13-99 Routing Plans:	\$ :	50.00

### **6.4** Directory Assistance

Intrastate Directory Assistance Charge: \$1.25

## 6.5 Late Payment Charge

Per Month Charge 1.5%

### 6.6 Return Check Charge

Per Returned Check Charge \$25.00

### 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan

# 6.7.1 Monthly Commitment Rating B Switched Access Option

## (A) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

Monthly	Initial	Each Additional
Minimum	Period	Second
\$ 50.00	\$0.0366	\$0.00203
\$ 200.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 500.00	\$0.0357	\$0.00198
\$ 1,000.00	\$0.0354	\$0.00197
\$ 2,500.00	\$0.0351	\$0.00195
\$ 5,000.00	\$0.0342	\$0.00190
\$10,000.00	\$0.0336	\$0.00187
\$15,000.00	\$0.0336	\$0.00187
\$20,000.00	\$0.0330	\$0.00183

## 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan, (Cont'd.)

# 6.7.2 Annual Switched Access Commitment Rating B (MAC)

## (A) One Year Term Option

# (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial	Each Additional
1 Year Term	Period	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0354	\$0.00197
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0348	\$0.00193
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0342	\$0.00190
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0324	\$0.00180
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0306	\$0.00170
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160
\$120,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$180,000.00	\$0.0258	\$0.00143
\$240,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140

## 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan, (Cont'd.)

## 6.7.2 Annual Switched Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (cont'd.)

## (B) Two Year Term Option

# (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial	Each Additional
2 Year Term	Period	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0336	\$0.00187
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0330	\$0.00183
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0324	\$0.00180
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0306	\$0.00170
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$120,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$180,000.00	\$0.0240	\$0.00133
\$240,000.00	\$0.0234	\$0.00130

## 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan, (Cont'd.)

## 6.7.2 Annual Switched Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (cont'd.)

## (C) Three Year Term Option

## (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial	Each Additional
3 Year Term	Period	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0330	\$0.00183
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0312	\$0.00173
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0306	\$0.00170
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$120,000.00	\$0.0234	\$0.00130
\$180,000.00	\$0.0222	\$0.00123
\$240,000.00	\$0.0216	\$0.00120

## 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan, (Cont'd.)

# 6.7.3 Monthly Commitment Rating B Dedicated Access Option

## (A) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

Monthly	Initial	Each Additional
Minimum	Period	Second
\$ 50.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 200.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 500.00	\$0.0303	\$0.00168
\$ 1,000.00	\$0.0300	\$0.00167
\$ 2,500.00	\$0.0297	\$0.00165
\$ 5,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160
\$10,000.00	\$0.0282	\$0.00157
\$15,000.00	\$0.0282	\$0.00157
\$20,000.00	\$0.0276	\$0.00153

## 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan, (Cont'd.)

## 6.7.4 Annual Dedicated Access Commitment Rating B (MAC)

## (A) One Year Term Option

# (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial	Each Additional
1 Year Term	Period	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0234	\$0.00130
\$120,000.00	\$0.0216	\$0.00120
\$180,000.00	\$0.0204	\$0.00113
\$240,000.00	\$0.0198	\$0.00110

## 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan, (Cont'd.)

## 6.7.4 Annual Dedicated Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (cont'd.)

## (B) Two Year Term Option

# (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial	Each Additional
2 Year Term	Period	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0234	\$0.00130
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0216	\$0.00120
\$120,000.00	\$0.0198	\$0.00110
\$180,000.00	\$0.0186	\$0.00103
\$240,000.00	\$0.0180	\$0.00100

## 6.7 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan, (Cont'd.)

## 6.7.4 Annual Dedicated Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (cont'd.)

# (C) Three Year Term Option

## (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial	Each Additional
3 Year Term	Period	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0234	\$0.00130
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0216	\$0.00120
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0198	\$0.00110
\$120,000.00	\$0.0180	\$0.00100
\$180,000.00	\$0.0168	\$0.00093
\$240,000.00	\$0.0162	\$0.00090

## 6.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II

## **6.8.1** Monthly Minimum Commitment Option

	Switched Access		Dedicate	ed Access
		Each		Each
Monthly	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
Minimum	18 Seconds	6 Seconds	18 Seconds	6 Seconds
\$ 50.00	\$0.0366	\$0.0122	\$0.0360	\$0.0120
\$ 200.00	\$0.0360	\$0.0120	\$0.0360	\$0.0120
\$ 500.00	\$0.0357	\$0.0119	\$0.0303	\$0.0101
\$ 1,000.00	\$0.0354	\$0.0118	\$0.0300	\$0.0100
\$ 2,500.00	\$0.0351	\$0.0117	\$0.0297	\$0.0099
\$ 5,000.00	\$0.0342	\$0.0114	\$0.0288	\$0.0096
\$10,000.00	\$0.0336	\$0.0112	\$0.0282	\$0.0094
\$15,000.00	\$0.0336	\$0.0112	\$0.0282	\$0.0094
\$20,000.00	\$0.0330	\$0.0110	\$0.0276	\$0.0092

# 6.10.2 Minimum Annual Commitment Option – 1 Year Term

	Switched Access		Dedicate	ed Access
MAC		Each		Each
1 Year	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
Term	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0354	\$0.00197	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0348	\$0.00193	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0342	\$0.00190	\$0.0288	\$0.00160
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0324	\$0.00180	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0306	\$0.00170	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160	\$0.0234	\$0.00130
\$120,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150	\$0.0216	\$0.00123
\$180,000.00	\$0.0258	\$0.00143	\$0.0204	\$0.00113
\$240,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140	\$0.0198	\$0.00110

## 6.8 Business High Volume Calling Plan II, (Cont'd.)

## 6.8.3 Minimum Annual Commitment Option – 2 Year Term

	Switched Access		Dedicate	ed Access
MAC		Each		Each
2 Year	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
Term	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0336	\$0.00187	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0330	\$0.00183	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0324	\$0.00180	\$0.0270	\$0.00150
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0306	\$0.00170	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160	\$0.0234	\$0.00130
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150	\$0.0216	\$0.00120
\$120,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140	\$0.0198	\$0.00110
\$180,000.00	\$0.0240	\$0.00133	\$0.0186	\$0.00103
\$240,000.00	\$0.0234	\$0.00130	\$0.0180	\$0.00100

## 6.10.4 Minimum Annual Commitment Option – 3 Year Term

	Switched Access		Dedicate	ed Access
MAC		Each		Each
3 Year	Initial	Additional	Initial	Additional
Term	18 Seconds	Second	18 Seconds	Second
\$ 600.00	\$0.0330	\$0.00183	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0312	\$0.00173	\$0.0360	\$0.00200
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0306	\$0.00170	\$0.0252	\$0.00140
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0288	\$0.00160	\$0.0234	\$0.00130
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0270	\$0.00150	\$0.0216	\$0.00120
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0252	\$0.00140	\$0.0198	\$0.00110
\$120,000.00	\$0.0234	\$0.00130	\$0.0180	\$0.00100
\$180,000.00	\$0.0222	\$0.00123	\$0.0168	\$0.00093
\$240,000.00	\$0.0216	\$0.00120	\$0.0162	\$0.00090

#### SECTION 7 – GRANDFATHERED SERVICES

#### 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*

#### 7.1.1 General

The SNET Business Flat Rate Plan is an Optional Calling Plan (OCP) offered only to business customers. This OCP is one-second rated after an eighteen-second minimum service usage, utilizing Switched or Dedicated Access lines. Access is not included in billing, and must be provided under the terms and conditions set forth in the appropriate sections of the Company's Tariffs.

## 7.1.2 Regulations

- (A) SNET Business Flat Rate Plan customers can have multi location accounts that have the same account-billing name grouped together. Accounts that are added after the initial installation inherit the start date of the first account.
- (B) SNET Business Flat Rate Plan customers will be required to select a Minimum Monthly Commitment (MMC) without signing a term commitment or a Minimum Annual Commitment (MAC) which requires a term commitment. A customer participating in the Business Flat Rate Plan commits to spending a predetermined dollar volume, either annually in the case of a MAC or monthly in the case of a MMC.
- (C) SNET Business Flat Rate Plan customers can aggregate usage totals from inbound and outbound service usage, Calling Card usage and multiple Billed Telephone Numbers (BTN) when they are identified under a single Master Account Number, to meet either the MMC or MAC.

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

### 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

### 7.1.2 Regulations, (cont'd.)

- (D) Any commitment (MMC or MAC) shortfall will be applied to the Primary Billed Telephone Number of the Master Account Number.
- (E) Customers subscribing to a MMC will be given a two (2) month grace period where there will be no shortfall penalty assessed. If a customer subscribes to a MMC on any date other than the first day of the billing cycle, the partial first month is counted as a full month when determining the length of the no penalty period.
- (F) Customers subscribing to a MAC can upgrade without penalty to a longer term and maintain the same start date of the existing plan or, to a higher MAC and maintain the same start and end date of the existing plan.

#### 7.1.3 Minimum Period

There is a one (1) month minimum for the SNET Business Flat Rate Plan when a customer commits to a MMC. There is a twelve (12) month minimum for the SNET Business Flat Rate Plan when a customer commits to a MAC.

\* - Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

### 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## 7.1.4 Eligible Services and Usage Schedules

The following rates and charges will apply to the services eligible for the SNET Business Flat Rate Plan.

## **7.1.5** Rating

Eligible usage is rated on an initial period of eighteen (18) seconds and additional periods of one (1) second increments for usage and rating purposes.

### (A) Monthly Commitment Rating B Switched Access Option

### (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

Monthly	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
Minimum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 50.00	\$0.0183	\$0.0732	\$0.00102	\$0.00406
\$ 200.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 500.00	\$0.0179	\$0.0714	\$0.00099	\$0.00396
\$ 1,000.00	\$0.0177	\$0.0708	\$0.00099	\$0.00394
\$ 2,500.00	\$0.0176	\$0.0702	\$0.00098	\$0.00390
\$ 5,000.00	\$0.0171	\$0.0684	\$0.00095	\$0.00380
\$10,000.00	\$0.0168	\$0.0672	\$0.00094	\$0.00374
\$15,000.00	\$0.0168	\$0.0672	\$0.00094	\$0.00374
\$20,000.00	\$0.0165	\$0.0660	\$0.00092	\$0.00366

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

## 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## **7.1.5** Rating, (cont'd.)

## (B) Annual Switched Access Commitment Rating B (MAC)

## (1) One Year Term Option

## (a) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
1 Year Term	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0177	\$0.0708	\$0.00099	\$0.00394
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0174	\$0.0696	\$0.00097	\$0.00386
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0171	\$0.0684	\$0.00095	\$0.00380
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0162	\$0.0648	\$0.00090	\$0.00360
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0153	\$0.0612	\$0.00085	\$0.00340
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0144	\$0.0576	\$0.00080	\$0.00320
\$120,000.00	\$0.0135	\$0.0540	\$0.00075	\$0.00300
\$180,000.00	\$0.0129	\$0.0516	\$0.00072	\$0.00286
\$240,000.00	\$0.0126	\$0.0504	\$0.00070	\$0.00280

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

## 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## **7.1.5** Rating, (cont'd.)

## (B) Annual Switched Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (continued)

## (2) Two Year Term Option

## (a) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
2 Year Term	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0168	\$0.0672	\$0.00094	\$0.00374
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0165	\$0.0660	\$0.00092	\$0.00366
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0162	\$0.0648	\$0.00090	\$0.00360
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0153	\$0.0612	\$0.00085	\$0.00340
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0144	\$0.0576	\$0.00080	\$0.00320
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0135	\$0.0540	\$0.00075	\$0.00300
\$120,000.00	\$0.0126	\$0.0504	\$0.00070	\$0.00280
\$180,000.00	\$0.0120	\$0.0480	\$0.00067	\$0.00266
\$240,000.00	\$0.0117	\$0.0468	\$0.00065	\$0.00260

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

## 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## **7.1.5** Rating, (cont'd.)

## (B) Annual Switched Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (continued)

## (3) Three Year Term Option

## (a) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
3 Year Term	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0165	\$0.0660	\$0.00092	\$0.00366
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0156	\$0.0624	\$0.00087	\$0.00346
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0153	\$0.0612	\$0.00085	\$0.00340
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0144	\$0.0576	\$0.00080	\$0.00320
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0135	\$0.0540	\$0.00075	\$0.00300
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0126	\$0.0504	\$0.00070	\$0.00280
\$120,000.00	\$0.0117	\$0.0468	\$0.00065	\$0.00260
\$180,000.00	\$0.0111	\$0.0444	\$0.00062	\$0.00246
\$240,000.00	\$0.0108	\$0.0432	\$0.00060	\$0.00240

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

## 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## **7.1.5** Rating, (cont'd.)

## (C) Monthly Commitment Rating B Dedicated Access Option

## (1) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

Monthly	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
Minimum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 50.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 200.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 500.00	\$0.0152	\$0.0606	\$0.00084	\$0.00336
\$ 1,000.00	\$0.0150	\$0.0600	\$0.00084	\$0.00334
\$ 2,500.00	\$0.0149	\$0.0549	\$0.00083	\$0.00330
\$ 5,000.00	\$0.0144	\$0.0576	\$0.00080	\$0.00320
\$10,000.00	\$0.0141	\$0.0564	\$0.00079	\$0.00314
\$15,000.00	\$0.0141	\$0.0564	\$0.00079	\$0.00314
\$20,000.00	\$0.0138	\$0.0552	\$0.00077	\$0.00306

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

## 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## **7.1.5** Rating, (cont'd.)

## (D) Annual Dedicated Access Commitment Rating B (MAC)

## (1) One Year Term Option

## (a) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
1 Year Term	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0144	\$0.0576	\$0.00080	\$0.00320
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0135	\$0.0540	\$0.00075	\$0.00300
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0126	\$0.0504	\$0.00070	\$0.00280
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0117	\$0.0468	\$0.00065	\$0.00260
\$120,000.00	\$0.0108	\$0.0432	\$0.00060	\$0.00240
\$180,000.00	\$0.0102	\$0.0408	\$0.00057	\$0.00226
\$240,000.00	\$0.0099	\$0.0396	\$0.00055	\$0.00220

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

## 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## **7.1.5** Rating, (cont'd.)

## (D) Annual Dedicated Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (continued)

## (2) Two Year Term Option

## (a) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

Monthly	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
Minimum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0135	\$0.0540	\$0.00075	\$0.00300
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0126	\$0.0504	\$0.00070	\$0.00280
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0117	\$0.0468	\$0.00065	\$0.00260
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0108	\$0.0432	\$0.00060	\$0.00240
\$120,000.00	\$0.0099	\$0.0396	\$0.00055	\$0.00220
\$180,000.00	\$0.0093	\$0.0372	\$0.00052	\$0.00206
\$240,000.00	\$0.0090	\$0.0360	\$0.00050	\$0.00200

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.

## 7.1 SNET Business Flat Rate Plan\*, (Cont'd.)

## **7.1.5** Rating, (cont'd.)

## (D) Annual Dedicated Access Commitment Rating B (MAC), (continued)

## (3) Three Year Term Option

## (a) Business MTS and Calling Card Usage Rates

MAC	Initial Period	Initial Period	Each Add'l Sec.	Each Add'l Sec.
3 Year Term	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
\$ 600.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 2,400.00	\$0.0180	\$0.0720	\$0.00100	\$0.00400
\$ 6,000.00	\$0.0126	\$0.0504	\$0.00070	\$0.00280
\$ 12,000.00	\$0.0117	\$0.0468	\$0.00065	\$0.00260
\$ 30,000.00	\$0.0108	\$0.0432	\$0.00060	\$0.00240
\$ 60,000.00	\$0.0099	\$0.0396	\$0.00055	\$0.00220
\$120,000.00	\$0.0090	\$0.0360	\$0.00050	\$0.00200
\$180,000.00	\$0.0084	\$0.0336	\$0.00047	\$0.00186
\$240,000.00	\$0.0081	\$0.0324	\$0.00045	\$0.00180

<sup>\* -</sup> Grandfathered to existing Customers at existing locations.